

110TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6644

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 29, 2008

Mr. MORAN of Kansas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. INCLUSION OF INFORMATION ON PERSONAL**
2 **RESIDENCES IN ANNUAL FINANCIAL DISCLO-**
3 **SURE REPORTS FILED BY MEMBERS OF CON-**
4 **GRESS.**

5 (a) INCLUSION OF INFORMATION.—

6 (1) AMOUNTS OWED ON MORTGAGE.—Section
7 102(a)(4)(A) of the Ethics in Government Act of
8 1978 (5 U.S.C. App. 102(a)(4)(A)) is amended by
9 striking “any mortgage” and inserting “in the case
10 of a reporting individual who is not a Member of
11 Congress, any mortgage”.

12 (2) VALUE OF PROPERTY.—Section
13 102(a)(5)(A) of such Act (5 U.S.C. App.
14 102(a)(5)(A)) is amended by striking “his spouse”
15 and inserting “his spouse in the case of a reporting
16 individual who is not a Member of Congress”.

17 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
18 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to reports required
19 to be filed under section 101 of the Ethics in Government
20 Act of 1978 on or after January 1, 2009.

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